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**Lesson No. 4 Parables - Forgiving Others**



*Matthew 18: 21-35*



*Ephesians 4: 32*

How easy do you find it to forgive people? Sometimes it is easier to forgive than at other times. Check the action you would find most difficult to forgive.

- If my friend swiped my chips. ....
- If my friend called me names in front of everyone. ....
- If my friend broke a promise. ....
- If my friend stopped talking to me. ....

God is ready to forgive us for the wrong things we do. Should we always be ready to forgive others when they do wrong to us? Peter asked the Lord Jesus the same question.

Look at these numbers:

7      77      777      70 x 7      70

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Circle the number of times PETER THOUGHT he should forgive his brother.

The Lord Jesus explained that we should forgive many more times than seven, and told another parable to help Peter understand this.

What was the king doing, in the parable, when the servant was brought to him?

Check the correct answer:-

- He was at a banquet. ....
- He was checking the accounts. ....
- He was visiting another king. ....

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Circle the right answer to indicate how much the servant owed the king.



A small amount



A large amount

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When the servant could not pay his debt, what was to be his punishment?

Fill in the missing letters a, e, i, o, or u.



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- Go to prison until you pay your debt.
- I forgive you and you can go free.
- You have three months to pay.

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Underline above, what the king said when the servant begged for more time to pay.

What did the servant do to his fellow servant who owed him only a few dollars?

Follow the arrows down and up the columns of letters and write the answer on the lines.

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When the man's fellow servant begged for more time to pay, what did the man say?

Check the correct answer.

You have three months to pay.  Go to prison until you can pay.

Don't worry, I forgive you. 

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Write IN YOUR OWN WORDS why the king was very angry with the man he had forgiven.

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God sent His Son, the Lord Jesus, to die on the cross so that we could be forgiven. If it cost God that much to forgive us, shouldn't we be prepared to forgive others for the wrong they do to us? If we don't, we are just like the servant in this parable., After he had been forgiven by the king, he refused to forgive his fellow servant.

Write out the Key Verse to learn what God expects from those He has forgiven.

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It isn't easy to forgive others. The traffic lights show you what to do if someone wrongs you.

Each word is written backwards. Write them the correct way in the spaces provided.



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